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Appl. No. : **10/792,181**
Applicant : Dirk Trossen
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Examiner : Nguyen, Huy D
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Title : **METHOD AND APPARATUS TO PROVIDE CHARGING FOR
AD-HOC SERVICE PROVISIONING BETWEEN TRUSTED
PARTIES AND BETWEEN UNTRUSTED PARTIES**

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated October 20, 2006, the Applicant hereby amends the above-referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification: None.

Amendments to the Drawings: None.

Amendments to the Claims: begins at page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments: begins at page 10 of this paper.

This Amendment is filed within the shortened statutory period for reply recited in the referenced Office Action and no petition for extension of time or fee is seen due. Should the undersigned representative be mistaken, please consider this as a petition for an extension of time necessary to effect his Amendment and/or charge Deposit Account No. 50-1924 for any required fee deficiency.